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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
9 AT SEATTLE

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11 WILLIAM E. WATKINS,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 UNITED HEALTHCARE, INC.,

15 Defendant.

CASE NO. C09-163RSM

ORDER GRANTING SUMMARY
JUDGMENT

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17 This matter comes before the Court for consideration of defendant's motion for summary
18 judgment. Dkt. # 14. Plaintiff, who is represented by counsel, has failed to oppose the motion in any
19 way. The Local Rules of this Court provide that this failure may be deemed an admission that the
20 motion has merit. Local Rule CR 7(b)(2). The Court so deems plaintiff's failure to respond, and
21 accordingly GRANTS the motion for summary judgment. This action is DISMISSED.

22 The Clerk shall enter judgment in favor of defendant and close the file.

23 DATED this 9 day of November 2009.

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26 RICARDO S. MARTINEZ
27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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